

NEUROLOGIST

DEFINITION:

Under general direction to render consultative services in neurology to County Mental Health (CMH) and Edgemoor Geriatric Hospital, involving the diagnosis and treatment of organic diseases and disorders of the nervous system; and to perform related work.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:

Provides neurological consultation to CMH Inpatient Services, regional facilities and Edgemoor Geriatric Hospital; teaches and supervises psychiatric and neurology residents from CMH and the University Hospital; performs neurological examinations and diagnostic tests; performs chemical, microscopic, biological, and bacteriological analyses of patient's blood and cerebrospinal fluid to determine nature and extent of disease or disorder; administers medication and drugs; may perform surgery; interprets neurological tests, X-rays, EKG's, brain scans, and other diagnostic tests; prepares reports of examination and tests.

EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE:

Education, training or experience, which clearly demonstrate possession of the knowledge, skills and abilities stated above. Examples of qualifying education/experience are:

1. Graduation from a medical school of recognized standing with an M.D. degree, AND,
2. At least four and one-half (4.5) years of board approved training/experience AND,
3. Acceptance for certification examination in Neurology and Psychiatry as evidence by a written statement from the secretary of the Board.

SPECIAL NOTES, LICENSES, OR REQUIREMENTS:

License:

Applicants must have a valid license to practice medicine in the State of California.

A valid California Class C driver's license is required at time of appointment or the ability to arrange transportation for field travel. Employees in this class may be required to use their own personal vehicle.

Certification:

Current certification in Neurology by American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.